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"I've Lost Ten Pounds"

A man says. "Look at this." And he over-laps his coat to show how loose it is. There are some people who can lose fai to advantage, but the loss of flesh is one of the accepted evidences of failing health. As flesh-making processes begin in the stomach, so



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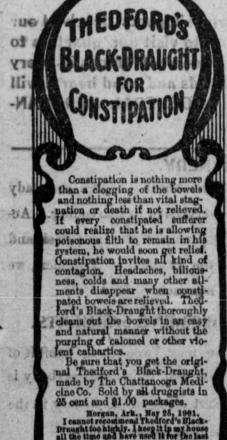
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BECKHAM

Tries to Usurp President's Pardoning Power.

Endeavors to Restore Citizenship to Man Convicted in Federal Court.

No Record of the Case in Pardon Files, on the Executive Journal nor on the Pardon Index.

The mysterious Pardon Record of Gov. Beckham at Frankfort contains surprises even to the oldest and most sophisticated political inhabitant. No Governor of Kentucky ever issued o many pardons that shocked the public sense of propriety or held the prerogative so lightly at the beck and call of political favoritism. To be certified a "good Democrat" has been amost sufficient in every case to get a pardon for crime, however atroclous. This is shown in the pardons of Fugate and Hudson, Goodice Combs, Joe Raleigh and others.

until Gov. Beckham is in retirement | President's head .- Louisville Hereld The bullies who have protected the record from investigation at the Gov-Are due to indigestion. Ninety-nine of every one hundred people who have heart trouble can remember when it was simple indigestion. It is a scientific fact that all cases of been left off the index—so as to discealing many. Other pardons have that place, who was expected to die, been left off the index so as to dis. had his life saved by Dr. King's courage investigation and render it difficult These have mostly been of pardons issued on account of the Hargis - Callahan - Redwine interest of Breathitt county and vicinity.

THREE MORE PARDONS UNEARTHED found at Frankfort. There are good Z Wayne griffin & Bro. reasons to believe there are two more This pardon is in some respects the most surprising in all the Beckham list of crazy-quilt clemencies. It was issued to Reuben Amburgy for penalties which he never incurred, which were never imposed, and which are not even set forth in the pardon.

What is still more surprising is that in the Issuance of the pardon Gov. Beckham has usurped the prerogatives of the President of the United States and has sought to restore the rights of citizenship to a Democratic poll worker in violation of the Federal law. The pardon was produced at the polls for that purpose, but was overruled.

The story of the pardon as it comes rom Knott county is very curious.

It is as follows: was Reuben Amburgy, were convict- up the situation in this State: ed of perjury and sentenced to the Indiana prison, one of them for one year

were released. They returned to their the degeneracy of Democratic leader-Under the law their conviction de- same time, wins and holds the esteem prived them of the right to vote at of patriotic American citizens who Federal elections unless restored to hold country above mere partisan their privileges by the act of the Pres. politics and who believes in honesty ident. It would not, however, de- and fairness in elections. The cam-

State elections. him to all the rights of citizenship. | chine." One of these pardons is now in the possession of The Herald. It bears the seal of the State, is countersigned by C. B. Hill, Secretary of State, and

issued to Reuben Amburgy. The pardon is duted November e, 1900. Four days later, on November 6. 19:0, the election was held at in any stage J. A. Hopkins, Man-which Gov. Beckham was a candidate chester, Kan., writes: "I have used for election. It was also a Presidential election, in which the men could not lawfully vote.

Information from Knott county is good " that at, the November election, 1902, for Congressman, in Precinct No. 2, the three men presented themselves to vote. Their votes were challenged, whereupon they produced the pardons issued by Gov. Beckham, under which they claimed to have been restored to all their privileges. The election officers, knowing that the applicants had been convicted in the Federal court, refused to recognize the pardons and the voters were re-

The Beckham pardon recites solof conviction, and that he was con- druggist.

fined in the State penitentiary, where he had served out his term. He adds that for the purpose of restoring to him his rights as a citizen he is granted "a full and free pardon."

Responsible citizens of Hindman, the county seat of Knott county, state that Reuben Amburgy was never convicted of any crime in the Circuit Court there, and was never tried there, or in any other State court for

NO RECORD OF THE PARDON. The most astonishing part of the whole business as an official transaction is that no record of the pardon can be found in the pardon index or in the Executive Journal of the Governor on the date when it is dated. looked for them had not been able to find any papers in the case. The pardon seems to have been issued without any certification of the crime, the date and place of conviction, for mal application, or any of the other formalities that precede the issuance of pardons. And no record was made of it. It seems to have been issued as a sort of royal favor or caprice, just as if the Governor would not let the the successful financial showing of the

Constitution stand between friends. Whether Gov. Beckham was imposed upon is not clear. If he issued the pardon without any actual knowledge of the facts it shows how careessly he dispenses favors to his political supporters. It he was not imposed upon, it raises a grave question of his motives in attempting to usurp How many outrageous pardons the powers of the President and parhave been issued will not be known doning Federal criminals over the

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Democratic Opinion.

The Chatanooga Times, Democratic in politics, voices the sentiments of In the United States District Court fair-minded, conservative Democrats n Cavington, Ky., at the December in and out of Kentucky in the followterm, 1898, three men, one of whom | ing recent editoral utterances sizing

"Gen. Buckner has challenged the coarse and vituperative abuse of Demand the other two to eighteen months ocrats of the Goebel brand in Keneach. They served their terms and tucky by his powerful arraignment of homes in Knott county, Kentucky | ship in that State, but, he, at the prive them of the right to vote at paign in Kentucky is for principle against the most arrogant gang of All three were released in time to pestiferous machine manipulators vote at the State election in 1900. that ever threatened the peace, digni-Whether they voted at that election | ty and good order of a people. It is in Knott county is not clear, but they a contest, not between political parties had a right to do so. In order that but between the forces of decency, all doubt might be removed each is law and order and the myrmidons of said to be in possession of a pardon, a rapacious, thoroughly corrupt and signed by Gov. Beekham, restoring totally discredited factional ma-

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Mismanagement of Finances of State by Beckham is Paralleled by His Disgusting Political Pardon Record.

On this account persons who have incapacity and Extravagance of Beckham Machine Plainly Shown by the Figures.

> (From the Louisville Herald.) Governor Beckham's pardon record is paralleled by his financial achievements. At Bowling Green the governor expressed indignation that the Republicans should claim credit for Bradley administration, which left office with more than a million in the

treasury. Mr. Beckham said: "That statement would lead you to believe that Mr. Bradley actually de- State. livered this much money to the Democrats. The truth is, this money was left to W. S. Taylor and his crowd. During their rule of something like two months they spent most of this money, and instead of turning over tells you, Taylor and his associates turned over to us \$368,000. I say turned over to us, but I don't mean ville, Ind., when W. H. Brown, of happened to leave us with that sum, but they left some of us with our lives, call him to account. and we were so glad that we did not

trations. When he retired from the governorship the total cash balance in Write now for our Telegraphy Cat- | mad the result of the election of 1899 minority the sound financial administration of the state's finances inaugurated by Governor Bradley would have been continued. The interruption in Republican rule has been a sad and costly experience for Kentucky-the state offices stolen from the electors, the state's money looted by adven-

There has been in three years of ex clusively Beckhamistic rule, from July 1, 1900, to June 30, 1903, an increase in the current expenses of the state over three years of the Bradley adminstration, from July 1, 1896, to-June 30, 1899, of \$1,116,978.51. There was, on the other hand, an excess of ordinary receipts under Governor Bradley of \$378,251.09. Taking out the \$1,828,-999.85 collected by the Beckham administration from the United States for interest on the war claim, \$71,000 of which went into the pockets of Captain Calhoun, the ordinary receipts for three years of the Bradley administration were \$13,857,906.48; the ordinary receipts of three years of undisputed and continuous Beckham ending June 30, 1903, were \$13,-484,655,39.

The financial record of the Beckhan dministration is one of incompetency at seklessness. It shows in every depa ent a disregard for the public interest; but in all respects and in every detail betrays a determined and unbroken fidelity to every machine interest and purpose. The Beckham administration is bound, hand and foot, to a grafters and ringsters, who boldly deny the right of the people to select their own rulers. The issue is plain. Shall the people of Kenbent only on self-aggrandizement, or install at Frankfort a thoroughly competent and business-like administration? We feel free to admit that the Democratic party has within its ranks an able and competent state admin- law and the constitution to the conistration. But the Democratic party has not been permitted to select its candidates. The machine has forced its slate of incompetents, weaklings and grafters on them, and the state finances are to be made, unless the people resist, the prey for four years more of rapacious looters. Kentucky will prevent the perpetuation of the reign of graft and looting.

THEIR ONLY "ARGUMENT."

(From the Paducah Sun.) The Democrats of Kentucky have now resorted to personal abuse. The only criticism that has been made by Republicans of Democratic officials was as officials, and no attack has been made on their private character. Yet, doubtless, for want of better argument, the Democrats have begun to assail the private character of every man who makes a speech for the Republican cause, from Colonel Belknap to some of the speakers who are not candidates. Abuse never helped any cause. If the Democrats have no better grounds for wanting to be elected to office than these they are indeed short of campaign material.

by the state auditor in time to save day; that is 365 during the course of

leged conspirators. It is on this kind you to say, "I would it I could" of men the Democrats depend for their evidence in the Goebel cases .-

Paducah Sun

Beckham Nails One Charge. or Beekham will have to stop burling | ber 193, election in Ohio county, tohis contempt at the critics of his ad- wit.

paid Captain Calhoun for collection a Sheriff; S A. Anderson, Clerk. war claim which the law says shall Beda-Ben Chamberlain and Harunder direction of the Governor.

the constitution, from \$3,000 to \$71,- Sheriff; A. B. Wedding, Clerk.

That the work done would have Miller, Judges; Wille Lewellyn been fully paid for under the original Sheriff; Jno. Muffet, Clerk. contract for \$3,000.

ilar claim for half this amount was Sheriff; Henry Leach, Clerk collected without any expense to the | Cool Springs-A. B Stanley and |

These are simple propositions, dealing with a business matter, and if they can be answered Governor Beckham, Mr. Hendrick in his attempt to prevent the nomination of Governor Beckham, Mr. Hendrick was informative of the the stage of the the disease. It at once relieful to the stage of the the disease. It at once relieful to the stage of the the disease. It at once relieful to the stage of the the stage of the stage o that much. I do not know how they contempt for him, because he was a Oscar Stewart, Clerk.

Since his campaign opened Govern- | Sheriff, Floyd Avent, Clerk. office a floating debt of \$1,800,000 left did him in censuring his public acts. iff; F. L. Sanderfur, Clerk. him by previous Democratic administ There is the response we are all fa- East Beaver Dam-R. H. Taylor miliar with in debating societies, but and J. Mason Taylor Judges; D. B. the treasury was \$1,060,425.08. It is manifest that it would not be accepted Reid, Sheriff; P. B. Hocker, Clerk puerile to foist on to the disturbances by the people, and so at New Castle | West Beaver Dam-I Warren Bakpuerile to foist on to the disturbances by the people, and so at New Castle West Beaver Dam — Warren Bak and Manalin, and in three months I be pleased to give you his valuable adarising out of the stealing of the gov- Governor Beckham makes a more er and C. L. Woodward, Judges; R. H. was a well man, and have continued vice gratis. ernorship and other state offices all elaborate reply. That we may not Barnes, Sheriff; D. J. Coleman, Clerk. so ever since." and Brake. the blame for the incapacity and ex- be accused of doing Governor Beck- McHenry-Inc. Jones and Everett travagance of the Beckham machine. ham an injustice, we take from the Herrell, Judges; R. P. Beck, Sheriff; been loyally accepted by the defeated | Courier Journal his verbatim response

which was as follows: They complain of the fee paid Capt. Calhour, when it cost the State of James Reneer, Clerk. Kentucky far more for the Republican party to kill William Goebel than it Morton, Judges; Seth Hunter, Sheriff; has cost for us to collect nearly \$1,-500,000 for the State and our soldiers.

It was a far greater burden upon the State Treasurer to maintain Tay- Sheriff: I. W. Hale, Clerk. lor's lawless bands of soldiers and desperadoes in their efforts to disperse the General Assembly of the State, to | Sheriff; Garland Lanam, Clerk. suspend the writ of habeas corpus and to protect assassins than it has to collect enough money of neglected claims to pay off the State debt.

They spent more upon their murderous gang of peaceful petitioners, than has been spent out of the reward fund in the prosecution of Goebel's C. Byers, Judges; J. B. Cannon,

Against their record of crime and lawlessness, of murder and assassination of reckless waste of the State D Holbrook, Clerk. revenue, we place our record of peace of debt and in the best financial condition of any State in the Union. Against the falsehood of these hired slanderars we place the recood of indisputable and unassailable facts.

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The propie are invited to compare the charges, we do not say the accusations, cohe rolly this graft of \$71, ooo, with the response made by the Governor, and then decide whether It is not time to put in the Governor's office at Frankfort a man who has had some business training and who has studied logic and mathematics either at Yale or some where else -Louisville Post.

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the state but not to save the attorney | the year. And suppose you live only they called for on their face after be- 600 beings happy, at all events for a Beckham's Bad Management ing raised. Culton can now go to time Now is not this simple? It is join Strolling Barber Weaver and oth- too short for a sermon, to homely for er touring witnesses against the al- ethics, too easily accomplished for Election Officers.

The following is a list of election officers appointed by the Board of Election Commissioners of Ohio As the campaign proceeds, Govern- county, Ky., to conduct the Novem-

ministration, and answer directly East Hardord-J. B. Foster and A. some of the most serious charges that L. Westerfield, Judges; W. S. Tinsean be brought against a public ad- ley, Sheriff; J. H. Williams, Clerk. West Hartford- V. G Barnett and One of the charges is that a fee was | S. T. Stevens, Judges; Ino. F. Bean,

be collected by the Adjutant General, din Beard, Judges: Steven R. Bennett, Sheriff; W. O. Parks, Clerk. That this fee was increased by spe- Sulphur Springs-L. G. Weller and cial legislation in direct conflict with J. B. Wallace, Judges; M. T Likens, Magan-I. B Taul and Ino. H.

Cromwell-H. T Porter and Silas That under Governor Brown a sim- L. Stevens, Judges; Jos W. Wilson,

\$1,100,000 to us, as Colonel Belknap Mr. Hendrick in his attempt to pre- Jas. E. Wilson, Judger: John Miles, that. They ran away and left us with ed that the Governor had a perfect Miller, Judges; C J. Wallace, Sheriff;

> bo'ter, and therefore had no right to Horse Branch-M B Crowder and Jas. Arnold, Judges; W. P. Miller,

or Beckham has been busy thanking Rosine- Loney Thompson and C. Governor Bradley found on taking the Republican party for the honor it E. Raicy, Judges; J. B. Monroe, Sher-

Herbert Sanders, Clerk

Centertown-T M Hatcher and W. I. Rowe, Judges; W. H. Bean, Sheriff; Smallhous-J. T. Rowe and Sam

Clint Igleheart, Clerk. East Fordsville-N. B. Smith and H. S. Winfrey, Judges; F. C. Mosley, West Fordsville-Sam Miller and Wm. Lyons, Judges: A. Henderson,

Ætnaville-S. F. Whitely and S. L. Phillips, Judges: R. R. Rhodes, Sheriff; W. H. Miller, Clerk.

Shreve-R. B. Whittinghill and Mark Clough, Judges; Grant Pollard, Sheriff, Dr. D. H. Godsey, Clerk. Olaton-W. H. Stevens and Carson

Sheriff; N. B. White, Clerk. Buford-Ezra Baird and Ben Newton, Judges; J. T. Morgan, Sheriff; J.

Bartletts-Charles Philipps and J and prosperity, of our State relieved H. Davis, Judges; Lonnie Smith, Sheriff; D. B. Bartlett, Clerk. Heflin-Ed Stewart and Virgil Turner, Judges; T. D. Owen, Sheriff; A. C. Rowan, Clerk.

Ceralvo-W. H. Morris and E. W.

Smith, Judges: Lon Barnard, Sheriff; E. M. Kimmel, Clerk. Point Pleasant-W. P. Render and Jas. A. Tichenor, Judges: W. F. Conditt, Sheriff; F. O. Coffman, Clerk. Narrows-C. F. Boswell and J. M.

Ralph-E. H. Morgan and Jno. W.

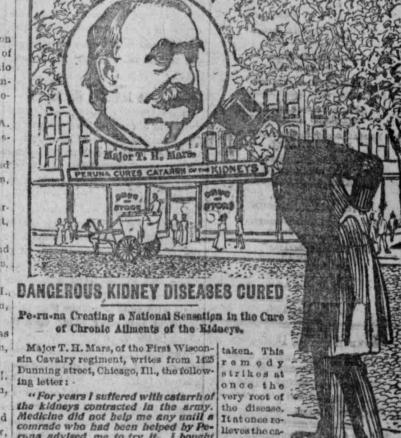
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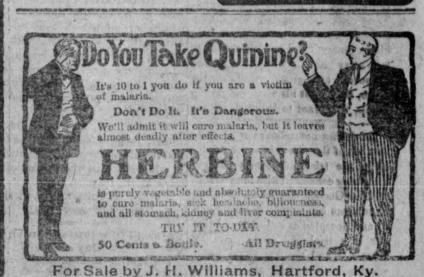
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